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Title

: RECOMBINANT BACULOVIRUS

: AND USE THEREOF IN THE

: PRODUCTION OF MONOCLONAL

: ANTIBODIES

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<u>AMENDMENT</u>

Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

In response to the Official Action dated October 2, 2001, Applicants amend as follows:

In the Claims (clean copy as amended)

1) (Amended) A recombinant baculovirus comprising an expression vector for use in the production of immunoglobulins in an insect cell, said expression vector comprising:



- first expression cassette comprising a first sequence coding for at least one part of an immunoglobulin H chain, wherein said first sequence is under transcriptional control of a first baculovirus promoter,
- second expression cassette comprising a second sequence coding for at least one part of an immunoglobulin L chain, wherein said second sequence is under transcriptional control of a second baculovirus promoter; wherein

said first baculovirus promoter and said second baculovirus promoter are two different promoters and are located at two different loci.